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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| In re Application of: |) | |
| | : | Examiner: Neil R. McLean |
| Yoshiharu Ikegawa |) | |
| | : | Group Art Unit: 2625 |
| Application No. 10/787,304 |) | |
| | : | Confirmation No. 4360 |
| Filed: February 27, 2004 |) | |
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| For: IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS, |) | |
| IMAGE PROCESSING METHOD, | : | |
| IMAGE FORMING METHOD, |) | |
| COMPUTER PROGRAM, AND | : | |
| COMPUTER-READABLE STORAGE |) | |
| MEDIUM | : | March 19, 2009 |

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 19, 2008, please amend the
above-identified application as follows.